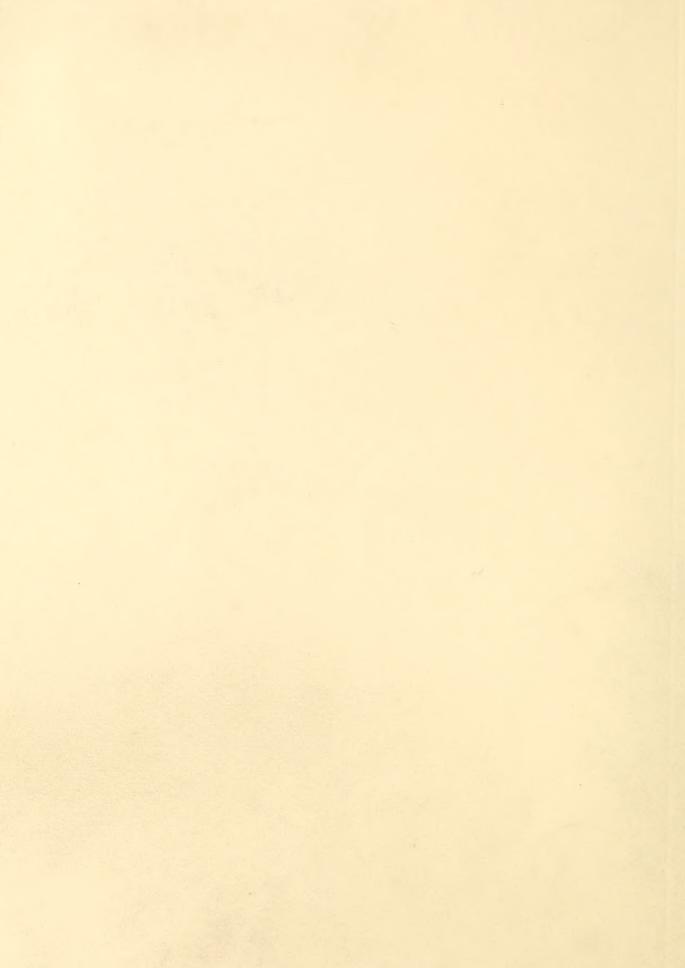
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MONTHLY FOOD REPORTS BY AREAS - APRIL 1944

All national changes since the March report have been in the direction of an improvement of the food situation, except that the shortage of certain canned fruit is being felt more severely. Besides fruit, the only items covered in our survey now reported short in all five regions are canned salmon, cheese, apples and onions. Other canned fish besides salmon, and soaps have moved up to the unbalanced list. Butter is now adequate in three regions. Raisins and currants, fluid milk and corn grits have moved from the unbalanced list to the list of foods plentiful throughout the country.

The national situation lists have been set up somewhat differently from the preceding month, and the definitions for the area columns have been altered accordingly. 30 representative areas are reported on this month, 21 of them the same as last month. The changes are due chiefly to incomplete reports from certain areas. Reports on areas other than those given, or on specific commodities by areas, can be furnished on request.

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THE NATIONAL SITUATION - APRIL 1944

I. Foods That Are Moving Satisfactorily in All Five Regions:

Canned grapefruit juice Canned vegetables (except

tomato catsup)
Tomato juico
Citrus marmalado

Frozen vegetables (other than peas, lima beans and corn)

Prunes (dried)

Raisins and currents

Dry beans Hargarine Lard Shortening Salad oils Pork

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Sausage and variety meats

Eggs (in surplus)
Nilk (fluid)
Corn moal

Corn grits

Macaroni and paste products

Soy flour and flakes

Citrus fruit Potatoes

Other fresh vegetables

II. Foods That Are Short In All Five Begions:

Cannod berries Cannod pineapple Grape juica Pineapple juice Frozen berries Canned salmon Cheess Apples Onions

III. Foods That Are Short In Scae Regions and Satisfactory in Others: (Unbalanced Items)

A. Short in a majority of the regions:

Canned cherries Canned fruit cocktail Canned peaches Canned pears

Tomato cataup

Cannod baby food
Frozen fruits other than berries
Cannod fish (except salmon)
Scaps and scap powders

B. Adequate in a majority of the regions:

Canned plums and prunes
Canned soups
Jams
Jellies
Fruit butter
Frozen peas
Frozen lima beans
Butter

Frozon corn (kernel)

Evaporated milk
Beef
Veal
Lamb
Canned meats
Syrups
Poultry

Rice

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Unbalanced Rolativa Adequate (1) Short (2) Short (3) Abundance (4) Butter Canned meate Canned pineapple Canned asparagus . Javaand, Me. Cannad baby food Tomato juice Beef Chesso (I) Dried prunes Lamb Raisins and Syrups our rants Poultry Rice Dry beans Saled oils Corn meal Corn grito Plums and Canned pilcher Providence, R.I. Canned peaches Canned asparagus prunes Canned pineapple Cannod baked beans Cannad baby foods Tomato juica Jame Corn meal Jellies Frozen fruits Fruit butter Canned mackerel Beaf Veal Lamb Poultry Rice Besf Hartford, Conn. Canned fruit (except grape juice) Lamb Tomato catsup Canned meats Poultry Frozen fruits (except berries) Canned fish (except mackerel) Chaese (II) Canned baby food How York, N.Y. Fruit cocktail Canned asparagus Plums and Canned soups Cannad peaches Canned corn prunes Grape Juice

(1) Generally short foods and unbalanced short foods (Groups II and IIIA) reported adequate in particular areas.

(2) Generally adequate foods (GroupI) reported short in particular areas.

(3) Unbalanced adequate foods (Group IIIB) reported short in particular areas.

Dried prunes

Raisins and

currants

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Jellies Frozen lima

beans Veal Poultry

Generally short and unbalanced foods (Groups II and III) in relative (4) abundance.

Note: Underlining means the item is reported out of stock.

Cannod baby foods

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	Adequate	Short	Unbalanced Short	Relative Abundance
Albany, N.Y.	Fruit cocktail Canned pineapple Pineapple juice Canned baby foods Apples	Dried prunes Corn meal	Butter Beef Lamb Syrups Poultry	Canned soups Fruit butter Canned pilchards Canned meats
Buffalo, N.Y.	Canned fruits (except berries and cherries) Tomato catsup Frezen fruits Canned fish		Beef- Lamb Milk (fluid) Poultry	Canned mackerel Canned pilcharde
Baltimore, Md.	Fruit cocktail Tomato catsup Frozen fruits Somps Apples	Canned spinach Corn grits	Plums and prunes Jams Butter Poultry	Canned meats
Cincinnati, Ohio	Fruit cocktail Canned baby foods Soaps	Carned asparagus Canned tomatoes Dry beans Salad oils Corn meal Corn grits	Jama Jellies Fruit butter Frozen neas Frozen lima Butter Evaporated a Beef Veal Lamb Poultry Rice	beans
Detroit, Mich.	Canned baby food (except fruits) Canned fish (except mackerel) Choose Somps	Canned asparague Corn grits	Frozen pens Frozen corn Butter Poultry	
Milwaukee, Wis.	Canned baby foods Canned pilchards Cheese (II and III) Soaps	Cannod asparagus Frosen vegetables	Canned soups Butter Beef Lamb	e Canned mackers

Syrups Poultry

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•	<u>19200000</u>	Short	Unbalanced Reletive Short Abundance
Micei, Fla.	Teato catamp	Canned asparagus Raisins & currents Corn grits	Plums & prunes Canned soups Poultry Lamb Canned meats Butter Evaporated milk
Louisville, Ky.	Apples Canned fish (except salmon)	Canned asparagus	Plums & prumes Canned soups Jams Jellies Syrups Hilk (fluid) Poultry
Brewton, Ala. (Mobile)	Grape juice Canned baby food Canned fish (except salmon)		Butter Evaporated milk
New Orleans, La.	Canned mackerel Canned pilchards	Canned corn Tomato juice Corn meal Corn grits	Plums & prumes Jams Jellies Fruit butter Frozen peas Frozen lima beans Frozen corn (kernel) Butter Beef Veal Canned meats Poultry Rice
Begument, Tex.	Carned peaches Carned pilchards Canned tune fish	Salad ofla Corn ment Corn grits	Jellies Lamb Evaporated milk Beef Veal Rice
San Antonio, Tex.	Fruit cocktail Caaned baby foods Scap:	Raisins & purants Milt (fluid) Corn meal	Butter Plums & prumss Evaporated milk Rice

Corn grits



	Adequate	Shert	Unbelanced Short	Abundance
Corpus Christi, Texas	Canned baby foods	Canned spinach Dry beans Hilk (fluid) Corn grits	Plums & prumes Canned soups Jams Jellies Fruit butter Evaporated milk	<u> </u>
Denver, Colo.		Canada bests Shortening Citrus fruits	Jellica Fruit butter Frozon lima bes Butter Evaporated milk Beef Veal Canned meats Syrups Rice	
Phoenix, Ariz.	Canusi pineapple Canusi mackerel	Canned asparagus Canned baked beans Dry Beans		except pine- apple)
Boise, Idaho	Cannod peas Cannod fish	Canned baked beens Canned spinach Fresen string beans	Frozen lima ber Frozen string l Poultry Voal	
Salt Lake City, Utah.	Canned peaches Canned pears Frosen fruits Apples Cheese (III)	Cauned asparagus Canned baked beans Driod prunes Raisins & currants	Pluss & prunes Fruit butter Butter Veal Syrups	
Portland, Ore.	Fruit cocktail Cannad pears Cannad mackerel Cannad pilchards Soaps		Pluma & prumes Canned soups Veal Lamb Syrups	Canned peache Tomato catsus

- Will be View San Francisco, Calif. Adequate

Fruit cocktail

Canned pears

Canned peaches

Canned pineapple

Pineapple juice

Frozen berries

Tomato catsup

Canned baby foods

<u>Short</u> Margarine Short
Frozen lima
beans
Butter
Veal
Lamb

Poultry Syrups

Unbalanced

Abundance
Plums & prunes

Los Angeles, Calif. Canned peaches Tomato catsup

Canned fish

Canned baked beans Dried prunes Milk (fluid) Plums & prumes Canned mackers!
Canned soups Canned pilchards
Jams Canned moats
Jollies

Frozen lima beans
Veal
Syrups
Rice

San Diego, Calif. Fruit cocktail
Canned peaches
Canned baby foods
Tomato catsup
Canned mackerel

Canned asparagus Canned soups
Raisins & Frozen lime beans
currants Veal

Syrups Poultry

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